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NORTH KOREA

- 1- THE NORTH KOREAN NAVY HAS DEVELOPED SINCE 1953 FROM A FEW SCARRED MOTOR BOATS TO A WELL ORGANIZED AND SEEMINGLY WELL-EQUIPPED FORCE. ITS MISSION APPEARS TO BE TWOFOLD: TO CARRY OUT SECURITY PATROLS OF NORTH KOREAN COASTLINES, AND TO PERFORM RADAR (AND VISUAL) SURVEILLANCE OF COASTAL WATERS. IN ADDITION IT PROTECTS FISHING FLEETS.

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MUNCHON NAVAL BASE WONSAN

- 3- MUNCHON NAVAL BASE WONSAN, LOCATED 4.8 NM NNE OF MUNCHON AT 3919N 12724E, IS ONE OF THE TWO MAIN NAVAL BASES OF THE EAST SEA FLEET. IT HAS BEEN OBSERVED ON THREE AND AT LEAST 6 KH MISSIONS. VESSELS PREVIOUSLY OBSERVED INCLUDE:

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 1 PT

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6 POSSIBLE PT

21 PC

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3 PC
5 PT
1 POSSIBLE T-43-CLASS MSF
1 PROBABLE NO 1-CLASS MSA
10 P-6-CLASS PT
5 PROBABLE WHAMPOA-CLASS YP
3 P-4-CLASS PT
1 LARGE PC
5 MEDIUM PC
12 SMALL PC
3 UNIDENTIFIED PT
7 SMALL PROBABLE PC
8 UNIDENTIFIED

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FACILITIES INCLUDE A DRYDOCK, A MARINE RAILWAY, A BOAT BASIN, A MOLE, SEVERAL QUAYS, AN ADMINISTRATION BUILDING, BARRACKS, SUPPORT BUILDINGS, AND OPEN STORAGE AREAS.

- 4- THIS MISSION REVEALS FOUR PROBABLE P-6-CLASS PT UNDER CONSTRUCTION; TWELVE P-4-CLASS PT; SIX SMALL YP; AND THREE UNIDENTIFIED LCM, ONE OF WHICH IS UNDER WAY.

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5- CHO-DO NAVAL BASE, ON THE WEST COAST OF NORTH KOREA, IS LOCATED ON THE NORTHEAST EDGE OF CHO-DO (ISLAND) AT 3832N 12452E. IT HAS BEEN OBSERVED ON ONE GRC AND AT LEAST 7 KH MISSIONS.

VESSELS PREVIOUSLY OBSERVED INCLUDE:

[REDACTED] 3 P-4 PT

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1 P-6 PT

1 S.O. 1-CLASS SC

1 POSSIBLE FORMER BRITISH [REDACTED]

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ML-CLASS

FACILITIES INCLUDE ONE BREAKWATER AND THREE SUPPORT BUILDINGS.

6- THIS MISSION REVEALS THREE PROBABLE K-48-CLASS SC.

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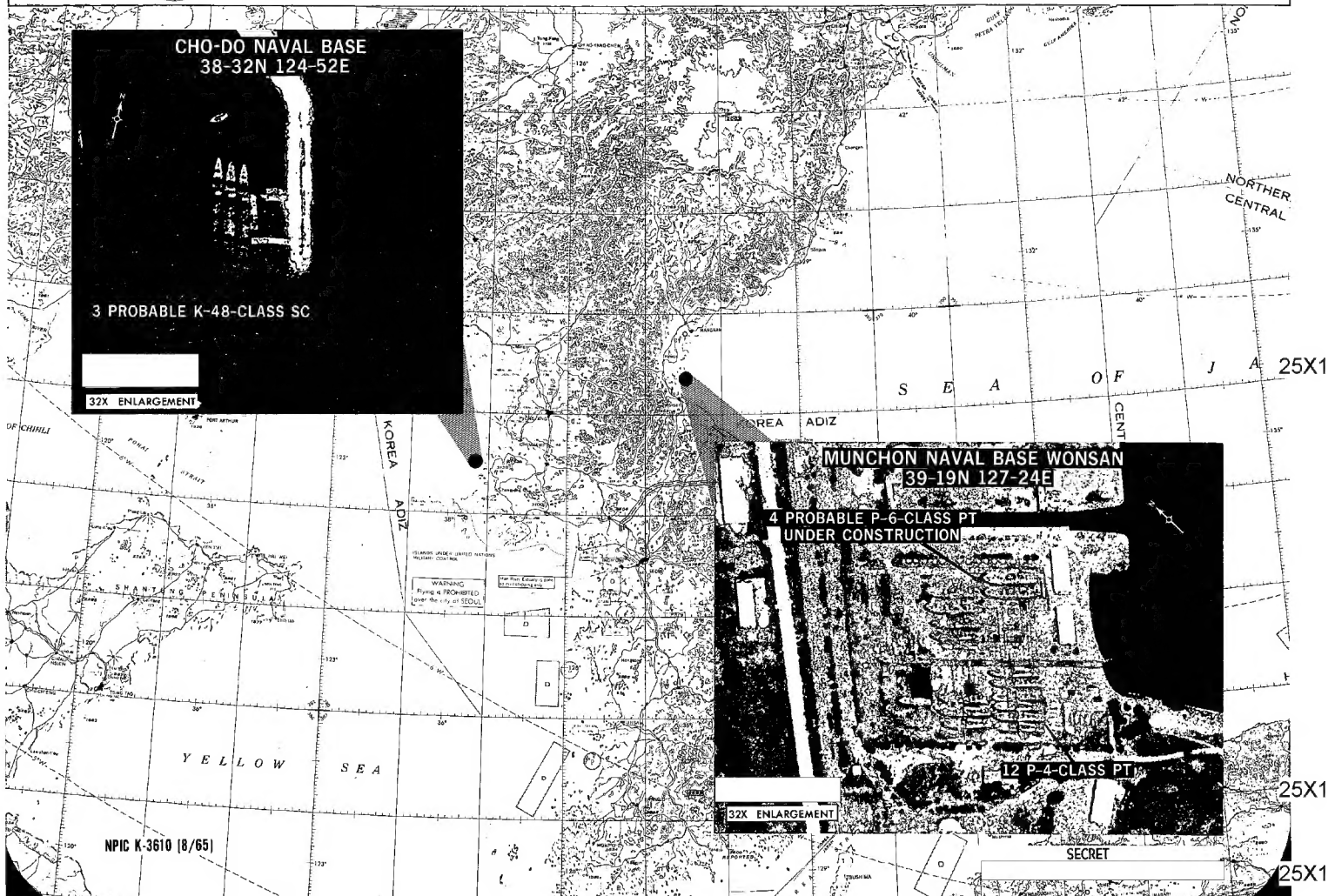
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